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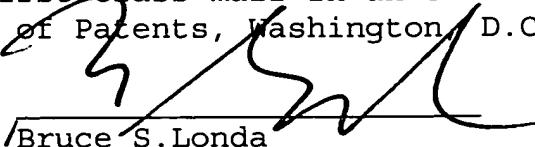
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

The following sections are being submitted for this Information Disclosure Statement:

- Sec. 1 - Preliminary Statements
- Sec. 2 - Identification of Time of Filing
- Sec. 4 - Statements with Respect to Listing of Information
- Sec. 5 - Statements with Respect to Translations of Non-English Information
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Section 1  
Preliminary Statements

Applicants submit herewith patents, publications or other information of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

While this Information Disclosure Statement may be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56 it is not intended to constitute an admission that any patent, publication or other information referred to therein is "prior art" for this invention unless specifically designated as such.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(b) the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined in 37 CFR 1.56(a) exists.

Section 2  
Identification of Time of Filing

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed within three months after the filing date of the application.

The art was encountered in the course of the prosecution of the corresponding foreign application(s) in Japanese patent appln. no. P2001-241111.

Section 4  
Statements with Respect to Listing of Information

A list of the patents is set forth on the attached 1 page of Form PTO-1449 (modified).

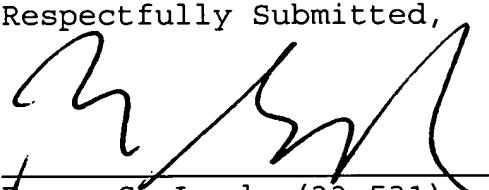
Section 5  
Statements with Respect to Translations of  
Non-English Information

No English language translations of the foreign language patents, publications or information or parts thereof are readily available. However, an English abstract is attached to each Japanese patent.

Section 6  
Statements with Respect to Copies of Listed Information  
Items Accompanying This Statement

A copy of each of the items on PTO-1449 (modified) is supplied herewith.

Respectfully Submitted,



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**LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS  
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